

Uncle Gabe's Story.

The scene opens in a San Francisco Lodging House, where a lot of drovers are preparing for bed, among whom is Uncle Gabe, the genius of the crowd.

Uncle Gabe's partner for the night draws the attention of the boys, by singing a ballad, Uncle Gabe! what makes you sing such a long tailed shirt? Well now, fellows, I've worn long tailed shirts high on to thirty years. I lost a gal once by wearing a short tailed shirt, and if you will keep still I'll tell you all about it. 1209 11109490

Thirty years ago I was a tolerable young man and lived in Texas, and in the summer of 1842, some folks moved out from East Tennessee, old friends of mine, and they had three likely gals, the eldest of which I had a kinder liking for her back in the old State. Well, they had been out there five or six weeks and I heard of it, but the Sunday after I determined I would strike out, I bought me a pair of ten dollar pants and a fancy ready-made shirt, of a Jew. Well when I came to put on the shirt the tail gave out just below my waistband about four inches, it was all the clean one I had, and I wasn't a going to back out.

It was all of thirty miles to my gal's house, and as I started late I didn't make it till late, and nothing to eat since breakfast I arrived tolerable wolfish.

They had just got into a new double log house, the end they were living in was dobed and chinked, but the other end only had the roof on. The old man helped me put up my mustang pony and we went up to the house.

Well I was kind of bashful and set down in the chimney corner, and rite along the side of me sat a long handled frying pan the kind they use on the plains you know, I got to running first one finger then another in the hole in the handle, and at last I got my middle finger in and fast, and I couldn't get it out, for I pulled and sweated, but it wasn't no use, it were there. Just then they asked me to set up to supper, but I said I had eat a late dinner and weren't a bit hungry, but Lord I were awful hungry, and grub a cooking made me wuss. But while they were at supper I got my finger out of the hole. Well, I talked to my gall at about 10 o'clock, then she showed me a hole in the undressed end of the house where I turned in for the balance of the night tolerable happy and miserably hungry. The wind blowed in through the cracks between the logs on my head pretty cold, so I took my new casimere pants and stuck in the crack and I went to sleep. I was woke up in the morning by hearing the gals getting breakfast, so I thought I would get up and reached for my pants in the crack but they weren't there, so I thought they had dropped them, and I looked and I looked and looked thro'—and cuss my old buttons if some young ladies hadn't found them and changed them all to pieces. I laid down and softly cussed them calves.

Pretty soon one of the gals come to the door asked me to get ready and come to breakfast, but I told her I was sick and couldn't eat, at the same time I could have eat a briled dog, just then.

They all eat their grab and the gals went to milk, and I could look thro' the crack and see them when they got thro' milking, and then they come back and set the milk buckets inside the back door of my room, at the foot of the bed, and went back to part the cows from the calves, so I think I now is my chance to get a good drink of milk, out of bed I jumped and gathered a big wooden bucket by each side, and was just letting my head down my throat when the cussed milk dopped back over my head, and I heard the gals coming, I knowed I was in a bad fix, so I stood my ground—upon hearing the door, in pranced all three of the gals for the buckets, when I gazed at them they were all laughing, and they did not fear to see the show until they got pretty close to me, then they give a little laugh and a whistle, and I was by myself, and I give the bucket a twist and got it off my neck, and kicked it under the bed, and crawled back into my old hole.

Pretty soon the old man come in and told him of all my miserable luck, and he said I was just laid down rolled over and rolled at me, but he lent me a pair of pants, and they war as much to big as my shirt was too little. I got my mustang pony to start home when they asked me to call again, but I did not, I went home and eat enough to make me sick for a week, but I got over it, and I went for California and I don't go much on milk, young calves, short tailed shirts, or Jew paddlers since that no-burns scrape.

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CHARLESTON, S. C. December 23, 1871.

ON AND AFTER SUNDAY DECEMBER 24, the Passenger Train on the South Carolina Railroad will run as follows:

FOR AUGUSTA.

Leave Charleston.....8.10 A. M.
Arrive at Augusta.....4.25 P. M.

FOR COLUMBIA.

Leave Charleston.....8.10 A. M.
Arrive at Columbia.....4.05 P. M.

FOR CHARLESTON.

Leave Augusta.....7.40 A. M.
Arrive at Charleston.....3.20 P. M.
Leave Columbia.....7.40 A. M.
Arrive at Charleston.....3.20 P. M.

THROUGH WILMINGTON TRAIN.

Leave Augusta.....9.00 A. M.
Arrive at Kingville.....3.20 P. M.
Leave Kingville.....7.40 A. M.
Arrive at Augusta.....6.30 P. M.

AUGUSTA NIGHT EXPRESS—SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.

Leave Charleston.....8.30 P. M.
Arrive at Augusta.....7.30 A. M.
Leave Augusta.....6.00 P. M.
Arrive at Charleston.....5.55 A. M.

COLUMBIA NIGHT EXPRESS—SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.

Leave Charleston.....7.10 P. M.
Arrive at Columbia.....7.30 A. M.
Leave Columbia.....6.00 P. M.
Arrive at Charleston.....7.00 A. M.

SUMMERVILLE TRAIN.

Leave Summerville.....7.25 A. M.
Arrive at Charleston.....8.45 A. M.
Leave Charleston.....8.30 P. M.
Arrive at Summerville.....4.45 P. M.

CAMDEN BRANCH.

Leave Camden.....6.15 A. M.
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Leave Columbia.....1.45 P. M.
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The following is a correct statement of Cotton raised by Stevens & Cureton, on 14 acres of stubble land, which was manured with 400 pounds of Carolina Fertilizer. The following is the mode of cultivation: It was thoroughly broken up 12 inches deep and laid off in rows 3 feet wide, and the Fertilizer applied in the drill, then bedded on it on the 15th of May, and planted the same day on the 15th of May, and the weather did not come up to stand until about the 1st of June. First working it was run around with a half shovel and partially tilled with a hoe. Second working it was run around with a 3 inch grub, 12 inches long, and the middles thrown out with a sweep 18 inches wide. One furrow to a row and thinned to a stand with a hoe about 12 inches between the stocks, and afterwards it was ploughed every two weeks with a sweep 18 inches wide, and hoed each time, until it was worked five times.

The following is a correct statement of the Cotton picked:

1st Picking.....	254
2d Picking.....	410
3d Picking.....	438
Estimated amount of unopened matured bolls.....	816
Total.....	1,988

Respectfully submitted, STEVENS & CURETON.

I certify I weighed the Cotton picked in the above statement, and it is correct. October 2d, 1871. W. A. GRAHAM.

At the request of Messrs. STEVENS & CURETON, we have examined the 14 acres of Cotton, and the estimate made above is true to the best of our ability.

D. P. DUANE, W. A. GRAHAM, JOSEPH LOGGERS.

Premiums awarded to STEVENS & CURETON on above certificate.

We will sell the above Splendid Fertilizer at Forty-Five Dollars cash, or Fifty Dollars, payable 1st November, with interest at 7 per cent, per annum, delivered at our Warehouse in Charleston. Agents will sell at same price, adding the freight and drayage to their price.

GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO., jan 19 1y

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